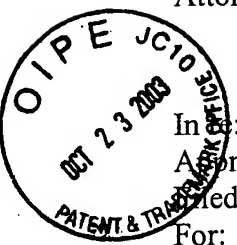


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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re: Collic-Jouault et al.  
 Action No.: 10/069,913  
 Filed: 02/28/2002  
 For: USE OF A LOW MOLECULAR WEIGHT SULPHATED  
 POLYSACCHARIDE TO OBTAIN A MEDICINE WITH  
 ANTITHROMBOTIC ACTIVITY

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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of one month to respond to the Office Action dated June 19, 2003.
2. Applicant is ☐ a small entity; ☒ other than a small entity.
3. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee for Other Than Small Entity</u>
One month	\$110.00

*\*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.*

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.
- ☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.

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